

**Amendments to the Claims:**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A thin film transistor including a plurality of component parts, comprising:

a channel region;

a gate electrode opposed to the channel region;

a gate insulating film provided between the channel region and the gate electrode;

a source-drain region connected to said channel region;

a source-drain wiring layer electrically connected to said source-drain region;

a gate wiring layer electrically connected to said gate electrode,

an extension of the gate electrode extending outwardly above and outside of the channel region; and

the extension extending in two directions from a central portion of the gate electrode.

2. (Currently Amended) A thin film transistor including a plurality of component parts, comprising:

a channel region;

a gate electrode opposed to the channel region;

a gate insulating film provided between the channel region and the gate electrode;

a source-drain region connected to said channel region;

a source-drain wiring layer electronically connected to said source-drain region;

a gate wiring layer electrically connected to said gate electrode,  
extensions extending from both ends of the gate electrode outside of and  
laterally separated from the channel region and along a channel longitudinal direction.

3. (Canceled)

4. (Currently Amended) The thin film transistor according to claim 32, the gate  
wiring layer being electrically connected to at least one of the extensions the extension of the  
at least on one end of the gate electrode through a plurality of contact holeshole.

5. (Original) A CMOS inverter circuit comprising two of the thin film transistors  
according to claim 1, the thin film transistors having an inverse conductivity type from each  
other, adjacent source-drain regions of said thin film transistors being connected.

6. (Original) A display device comprising a driving circuit including a thin film  
transistor according to claim 1.

7. (Original) An electronic apparatus comprising a display device as defined in  
claim 6.